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Mr. Vernon A. Williams, Secretary Surface Transportation Board Mercury Building 1925 K Street, N.W. Washington, D. C. 20006

RE:

Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 623X) CSX Transportation, Inc.-Abandonment Exemption in Putnam County, Indiana

Dear Mr. Williams:

This refers to the decision served by the Board on October 16, 2002, in the above captioned proceeding. In that decision, the Board exempted from further regulation the abandonment by CSX Transportation (CSXT) of approximately .47 miles between Milepost OOQ 189.18 (north side of Grant Street) and the end of track at Milepost OOQ 189.65 in Putnam County, Indiana. This exemption became effective on November 15, 2002.

Pursuant to the provisions of 49 C.F.R. 1152.29, CSXT hereby files its notice of consummation signifying that it has fully exercised the authority granted in the Board's October, 2002 opinion.

Very truly yours,

Natalie S. Rosenberg

cc: Rail Services Update

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